

IDAPA 10 - PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS

10.01.04 - RULES OF CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

DOCKET NO. 10-0104-0801

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES - NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

AUTHORITY: In compliance with Sections 67-5220(1) and 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate rules and desires public comment prior to initiating formal rulemaking procedures. This negotiated rulemaking action is authorized pursuant to Section 54-1208, Idaho Code.

MEETING SCHEDULE: Public meetings on the negotiated rulemaking will be held as follows:

Monday - July 14, 2008 - 8:00 a.m.

**North Idaho College
Student Union Building
Room To Be Posted At Entrance
Coeur d'Alene, Idaho**

Tuesday - July 15, 2008 - 8:00 a.m.

**Fish and Game Department
Hunter Education Room
3316 16th Street
Lewiston, Idaho**

Friday - July 18, 2008 - 8:00 a.m.

**Idaho Transportation Department
Auditorium
3311 W. State Street
Boise, Idaho**

Monday - July 28, 2008 - 8:00 a.m.

**ISU University Place
Room To Be Posted At Entrance
1784 Science Center Dr.
Idaho Falls, Idaho**

Monday - July 28, 2008 - 1:00 p.m.

**ISU Student Union Building
Wood River Room
Pocatello, Idaho**

Tuesday - July 29, 2008 - 8:00 a.m.

**College of Southern Idaho
Taylor Building, Room 277
Twin Falls, Idaho**

METHOD OF PARTICIPATION: Persons wishing to participate in the informal negotiated rulemaking must appear at one of the hearings and make an oral presentation or ask questions or they may submit written comments.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The following is a statement in nontechnical language of the substance and purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking and the principle issues involved:

The purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking is to amend the Administrative Rules to:

1. Comply with updated terminology as incorporated in House Bill No. 380 passed by the 2008 session of the Idaho Legislature;
2. Include professional engineers in the requirement of continuing professional development as a condition of license renewal;
3. Reduce the number of allowable professional development hours for the activities of "self-study," "membership," and "active participation";
4. Allow a licensee to opt for a two (2) calendar year period of compliance rather than a renewal biennium;
5. Provide for an exemption for a licensee on active duty temporarily assigned to a location other than their normal home station; and
6. Provide for an exemption for professional engineers during the period between the effective date of the rule and their first renewal following that date.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS, OBTAINING COPIES: For assistance on technical questions concerning this negotiated rulemaking or to obtain a copy of the preliminary draft of the text of the proposed rule, contact David L. Curtis, P.E., Executive Director at dave.curtis@ipels.idaho.gov or (208) 373-7210.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before August 10, 2008.

DATED this 22nd day of May, 2008.

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